

FEDERATION LABOR TO CONVEVE HERE

Meeting Will be Held Some Time
Between Now and December 15.

MANY DELEGATES TO COME

The Federation Represents All Organ-
ized Labor of State, and This Will
Bring in Neighborhood of About
Three Hundred Representatives.

Gainesville is to have the honorable
distinction of entertaining another
convention at an early date, this being
the annual meeting of the State Feder-
ation of Labor.

The date has not yet been ascer-
tained, but the session will be held,
it is said, some time between this
date and the middle of December, the
time to be fixed later. The federation
convened in Tampa last year, at which
time it was decided to meet in Gaines-
ville in 1907.

There will be about 300 delegates
present at this convention from every
section of the State, and representing
every trade, and a big time is antici-
pated.

HAWTHORN COTTON SITUATION.

Farmers as a Rule Are Holding. But
Number of Bales Have Been Sold.

F. J. Hammond, merchant and cot-
ton buyer of Hawthorn, who spent
Friday in this city, is authority for
the statement that, while the crop it
is anticipated will be short in his sec-
tion, the plant is opening quite rapid-
ly, and is being gathered and ginned
as fast as possible. Like other sec-
tions of the county, however, pick-
ers are scarce, and some of the plant-
ers are experiencing a great deal of
difficulty in getting their crop gather-
ed.

The gins have been quite busy,
despite these adverse conditions, and
a large quantity of cotton has been
ginned so far this season, considering
everything.

The farmers as a rule are holding
their cotton, although about fifty bales
have been sold at an average of 29¢
cents a pound. Buyers appear anxious
to secure the staple, and are now
offering 30 cents, but growers are
slow to sell.

There is quite a lot of cotton stored
in the warehouses at Hawthorn.

The Marriage Docket.

As usual, with the approach of
chilly weather—the least bit chilly—the
marriage docket, unlike the
thermometer, begins to go up instead
of down. Clerk Mason, who is holding
down the chair of County Judge Ma-
son during his absence in Virginia
with the dignity of a sure-enough
judge, has been kept busy for the
past two days writing licenses. He
had the satisfaction of writing more
licenses during these two days than
were issued during the entire month
of September, to say nothing of those
who secured licenses in other coun-
ties and were residents of this county.

Among the licenses issued were A.
A. Burke and Mollie L. Swindle, E.
H. Godwin and Willie Grand, white;
Harry Short and Claude Mathews,
Steve Tompkins and Minnie Strick-
land, J. B. Williams and Bessie Shorn,
J. L. Herrington and Mary Green,
colored.

A Card.

This to certify that all druggists are
authorized to refund your money if
Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure
your cough or cold. It stops the
cough, heals the lungs and prevents
serious results from a cold. Cures la-
grippe cough and prevents pneumonia
and consumption. Contains no opiates.
The genuine is in a yellow package.
Refuse substitutes. J. W. McCollum
& Co.

Justice Colman's Court.

Jim Jones, a colored man, was ar-
raigned in Justice Colman's court
upon the charge of larceny of clothing
from another negro, but the evidence
against the man was so flimsy that
Justice Colman ordered him dis-
charged.

Julius Caesar

Was a man of nerve, but sickness
left its mark and he became aged
before his time. Sickness is often
caused by a torpid liver. Herbine
will regulate your liver and give you
health. Mrs. Carrie Austin, Holton,
Kansas, writes: "I consider Herbine
the best medicine I ever heard of. I
am never without it." Sold by W. M.
Johnson.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

Prevalence of Kidney Disease.
Most people do not realize the alarm-
ing increase and remarkable prevalence
of kidney disease. What kidney dis-
orders are the most common
diseases that pre-
vail, they are
almost the last
recognized by
patient and phy-
sicians, who con-
tent themselves
with doctoring the effects, while the orig-
inal disease undermines the system.

What To Do.
There is comfort in the knowledge so
often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's
Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy,
fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism,
pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder
and every part of the urinary passage.
It corrects inability to hold water
and scalding pain in passing it, or bad
effects following use of liquor, wine or
beer, and overcomes that unpleasant ne-
cessity of being compelled to go often
during the day, and to get up many
times during the night. The mild and
the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root
is soon realized. It stands the highest
for its wonderful cures of the most dis-
tressing cases. If you need a medicine,
you should have the best. Sold by drug-
gists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes.

You may have a sample bottle and a
book that tells all
about it, both sent free
by mail. Address Dr.
Kilmer & Co., Bing-
hamton, N. Y. When
writing mention this paper and don't
make any mistake, but remember the
name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and
the address, Binghamton, N. Y.



THE BERACA SOCIETY.

Delightful Reception Held at White
House Well Attended.
From Thursday's Daily Sun.

The Beraca Society of the First
Methodist church entertained a large
number of friends at the White House
Tuesday evening, the occasion being
a reception in honor of the faculty
and students of the University of
Florida. All Methodists over the age
of sixteen were invited, however, with
the result that, including the faculty
and students of the University, there
were nearly two hundred present.

The evening passed in a most enjoy-
able manner, a delightful informal
program having been carried out. De-
licious refreshments of fruit punch and
assorted cake were served, and al-
together the occasion was one which
will long be remembered by those
who were so fortunate as to be there.

Death of Aged Minister.

From Friday's Daily Sun:
Rev. Alexander DeBose, colored,
about 75 years of age, who was taken
with a stroke of paralysis at his home
on Thursday morning, September 26,
died on Thursday morning, October
3rd, at fifteen minutes to 9 o'clock.

Rev. DeBose was the oldest minister
of his church in Florida, was promi-
nent and loved by all, and was a
living example for all those whom he
lead. He had held all of the import-
ant appointments on the Gainesville
district, and was at one time the
presiding elder of his church. He was
widely known and will be greatly
missed.

The T. F. Thomas Undertaking Co.
has charge of the remains, and the
funeral will take place today at 1
o'clock sharp, from the Mt. Pleasant
M. E. church. Friends will be ac-
commodated.

Deceased was the father of Prof. T.
E. DeBose of Union Academy, and his
friends and those of the family deeply
sympathize with them.

Funeral of Rev. DeBose.

The funeral of Rev. Alexander De-
Bose, the pioneer colored minister
who died Thursday, was held Friday
from Mt. Pleasant M. E. church (col-
ored) and was largely attended, not
only by members of his own church,
but by all denominations, many white
people being among those present.

There were in all about 1,000 at the
church, and fifty-one teams attended
the interment at the cemetery. There
were ministers of the conference pres-
ent from Jacksonville, Ocala and
many other places, as well as all the
colored ministers of the city.

Napoleon Bonaparte

Showed, at the battle of Austerlitz,
he was the greatest leader in the
world. Ballard's Snow Liniment has
shown the public it is the best lin-
iment in the world. A quick cure for
rheumatism, sprains, burns, cuts, etc.
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use Ballard's Snow Liniment in my
family and find it unexcelled for sore
chest, headache, corns, in fact for
anything that can be reached by a
liniment." Sold by W. M. Johnson.

AUSTIN MILLER MAKES CHANGE.

Well-Known Gainesville Young Man
Enters the University of Virginia.

Austin Miller, a Gainesville boy of
whom all Gainesville feels proud, has
entered the University of Virginia, at
Charlottesville, where he will finish
his education. The University of Vir-
ginia stands foremost among the edu-
cational institutions of the world, and
when Mr. Miller receives his sheep-
skin from that institution he may
feel sure that he is all right.

Mr. Miller, who is the bright son
of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Miller of this
city, has been a student of the Uni-
versity of the South, Sewanee, Tenn.,
for the past three or four years. This
is in itself a magnificent institution
of learning, but the young man had
advanced so far that it became neces-
sary to raise his grade. His numer-
ous friends here congratulate him
upon his superior knowledge, especial-
ly for one of his age, and predict for
him a future successful life.

NEWBERRY NOTES.

Newberry, Oct. 2.—George Dunham
and son, Carroll, left Monday morning
for their home in Iowa. They spent
three weeks here, guests of Mrs. E.
A. Groff.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton S. Fortson
visited Dutton Monday, returning the
same day.

Mrs. T. J. Johnson of Hawthorn is
here on a visit to her daughter, Mrs.
D. G. Roland.

Miss Sallie Garland visited Hernan-
do last Friday, returning Saturday.

Miss Mollie Swindal is visiting rel-
atives in Jacksonville this week.

Ruby Henderson returned Friday
from Brooksville, where he spent the
past two weeks.

C. R. Osteen of Brooksville was
here a few days last week, guest of
friends.

After a week's visit here to her
brother, J. F. Ruff, Miss Ola Ruff
left Saturday for Lake Butler, where
she will teach this winter.

Miss Bessie Garland is visiting at
Hernando this week.

D. B. Methvin, son, Bob, and daugh-
ter, Gertrude, spent last week in
Georgia, visiting relatives.

Mrs. Cubberly of Archer is here,
guest of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur
Reid.

Miss Lillie Belle Methvin of Dut-
ton was here shopping Monday, and
visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Swindal and fam-
ily visited Judsoh Sunday, return-
ing Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Weeks of
Gainesville are here, guests of Mrs.
Tucker.

Mrs. Rufus Pickett and little
daughter of Jonesville were here shop-
ping Monday.

That Tired Feeling.

If you are languid, depressed, in-
capable for work, it indicates that
your liver is out of order. Herbine
will assist nature to throw off head-
aches, rheumatism and ailments akin
to nervousness and restore the ener-
gies and vitality of sound and perfect
health. J. J. Hubbard, Temple, Texas,
writes, "I have used Herbine for the
past two years. It has done me more
good than all the doctors. It is the
best medicine ever made for chills and
fever." 50c. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

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An Old-Time Conductor.

Captain M. R. Gilmer of High
Springs, one of the popular bell-cord
yankers of the Atlantic Coast Line,
was among those who spent Friday
in Gainesville.

Captain Gilmer is well known here,
being one of the pioneer conductors
of the Atlantic Coast Line, being in
charge of what is known as the
"Moonlight Express" before the
through trains were put on. This "ex-
press" consisted usually of about 25
to 75 box cars, heavily loaded, to
which was attached a combination
passenger coach, leaving High
Springs at 6 o'clock at night and ar-
riving at Rochelle, the southern desti-
nation, at "any old time." Captain
Gilmer, by his clever manner, made
himself popular by keeping the pas-
sengers in a good humor—and he has
never lost that popularity, as those
who had occasion to travel with him
those days remember it.

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